CCRB INVESTIGATIVE RECOMMENDATION

Investigator:		Team:	CCRB Case #:	V	Force	☑ Discourt.	U.S.
Benjamin Shelton		Squad #11	202005679	☑ Abuse		O.L.	☐ Injury
Incident Date(s)		Location of Incident:	•	P	recinct:	18 Mo. SOL	EO SOL
Monday, 08/03/2020 11:00 PM, N 08/03/2020 11:15 PM, Tuesday, 0 12:13 AM		§ 87(2)(6) Precinct stationhouse	and the 101st		101	2/3/2022	5/4/2022
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3. POM Maura Moore	02005	924215	101 PCT				
4. SGT Robert Nagle	02105	946051	101 PCT				
Witness Officer(s)	Shield N		Cmd Name				
1. POM Allen Bonds	00395	966469	101 PCT				
Officer(s)	Allegatio	on .			Inve	stigator Recon	nmendation
A.POM Shaun Healy		n August 3, 2020, at \$870 Police Officer Shaun He		rce	in		
B.POM Shaun Healy	in	esy: On August 3, 2020, Queens, Police Officer s ously to § 87(2)(b)					
C.POM Robert Amendola	in	esy: On August 3, 2020, Queens, Police Officer l ously to \$187(2)(5)	, at ^{§ 87(2)(b)} Robert Amendola sp	oke			
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G.POM Shaun Healy	in	esy: On August 3, 2020, Queens, Police Officer sously to individuals.	, at \$87(2)(b) Shaun Healy spoke				
H.POM Robert Amendola	in	esy: On August 3, 2020, Queens, Police Officer I ously to individuals.		oke			

Officer(s)	Allegation	Investigator Recommendation
I.POM Maura Moore	Abuse: On August 3, 2020, at the 101st Precinct stationhouse, Police Officer Maura Moore did not process complaint regarding officers.	
J.SGT Robert Nagle	Abuse: On August 4, 2020, at \$87(2)(b) in Queens, Sergeant Robert Nagle did not process complaint regarding officers.	

Case Summary

On August 4, 2020, \$87(2)(b) filed the following complaint over the phone with IAB, generating original log \$87(2)(b) . On August 17, 2020, the CCRB received this complaint via IAB spinoff log \$87(2)(b) .

On August 3, 2020, at approximately 11:00 p.m., \$87(2)(b) was shopping at a deli in Queens when he engaged in a verbal dispute with a deli employee while PO Shaun Healy and PO Robert Amendola of the 101st Precinct were present. PO Healy told him to leave multiple times until he approached \$87(2)(b) and physically removed him from the deli to the sidewalk (Allegation A: Force, §87(2)(2) During a verbal exchange outside the deli, PO Healy told \$87(2)(b) other officers would "toss [his] ass again," " get the fuck out of here," "I don't give a fuck who you are," and "Oh, now I fucking get it" (Allegation B: PO Amendola also told § 87(2)(b) "That's what I fucking thought" Discourtesy, § 87(2)(g) PO Healy removed his taser from its holster during (Allegation C: Discourtesy, § 87(2)(g) the exchange (Allegation D: Abuse of Authority, \$87(2)(g) PO Healy called § 87(2)(b) "pussy" (Allegation E: Offensive Language, \$87(2)(g) (Allegation F: Discourtesy, Inside the deli, PO Healy told an unidentified deli employee, "Nah, I don't like that shit. Don't fucking do that shit, you know what I'm saying? He's not tough, like, I've dealt with him for fucking nine years. He's not tough. He does this shit all the time. Yeah, he's a fucking," while PO Amendola stated, "Yeah, he does this shit all the time" (Allegation G: Discourtesy, \$37(2)(g) (Allegation H: Discourtesy, § 87(2)(g) walked to the 101st Precinct stationhouse and arrived at approximately 11:15 p.m. when he spoke to PO Maura Moore of the 101st Precinct and stated he wanted to file a complaint against PO Healy and PO Amendola. PO Moore allegedly just told \$87(2)(6) to return to the deli and call 911 (Allegation I: Abuse of Authority, \$87(2)(g) § 87(2)(b) to the deli and called 911.

On August 4, 2020, at approximately 12:13 a.m., Sgt. Robert Nagle of the 101st Precinct responded to \$\frac{85(2)(6)}{2}\$ where \$\frac{85(2)(6)}{2}\$ told him he wanted to file a civilian complaint. Sgt. Nagle allegedly told him that he could not make the report (**Allegation J: Abuse of Authority**, \$\frac{85(2)(6)}{2}\$

No arrests were made, nor summonses issued regarding this incident.

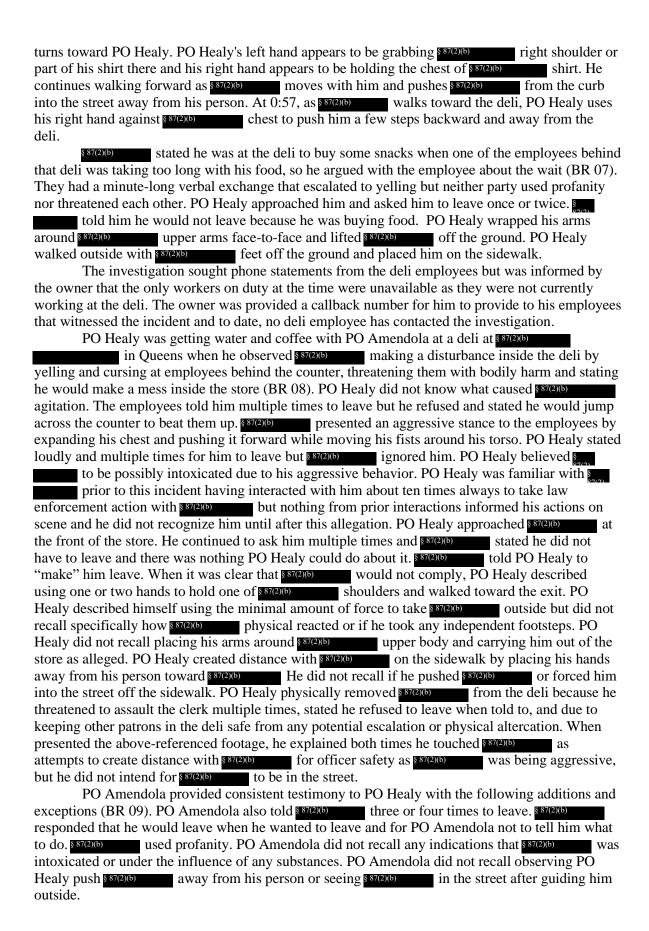
Video evidence was obtained from the body-worn cameras of PO Healy, PO Amendola, and Sgt. Nagle (BR 01-03) via the NYPD Legal Bureau, NYPD surveillance street cameras via the Technical Assistance Response Unit (TARU) which was deemed impertinent (BR 04), NYPD camera, and surveillance cameras at the 101st Precinct stationhouse via the NYPD Strategic Technology Division which was deemed impertinent (BR 05-06).

When attempting to obtain video evidence from the deli, the owner of the deli informed the investigation that footage from the incident date had already been deleted.

Findings and Recommendations

Allegation A – Force: On August 3, 2020, at \$87(2)(b) in Queens, Police Officer Shaun Healy used physical force against \$87(2)(b)

Footage from PO Healy's BWC is the only video evidence that captures this allegation (BR 01). The durational timestamp will be referenced. At 0:13, \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ can be seen in the background gesticulating and apparently speaking to a worker behind the deli counter. At 0:20, PO Amendola appears to be speaking with and gesticulating toward \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ At 0:30, PO Amendola takes a step toward \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ PO Healy moves forward, past PO Amendola, and approaches \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ It is apparent that \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ is speaking to PO Healy, and then moves away from the exit. At 0:41, PO Healy grabs \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ with at least his right hand, in an apparent hug-like grasp from behind. He either carries or guides \$\frac{87(2)(6)}{2}\$ to the door and outside. Due to the proximity of the camera, the specific grasp is not depicted. At 0:46, on the sidewalk



The Threat, Resistance, Injury Case Folder associated with this incident, seroso generated by Sgt. Louie Malave and reviewed by Lt. Matthew Menze of the 101st Precinct, detailed PO Healy's physical interaction as "NO FORCE" against strong though it described a physical guidance consistent with the video evidence and officer testimony, after Lt. Menze viewed the above-referenced video evidence (BR 10).

An officer may use reasonable force when gaining compliance of an uncooperative subject NYPD Patrol Guide 221-02 (BR 11). An officer's reasonable use of force to gain control of a subject is dictated by multiple factors including: the nature of the circumstances, actions taken by the subject, duration of the action, immediacy of the perceived threat, active resistance by the subject, potential evasion of arrest, number of subjects and their size/age/condition, any known violent history, the presence of a hostile crowd, and any apparent substance use NYPD Patrol Guide 221-01 (BR 12).

It is undisputed that was causing a disturbance by yelling at a deli employee, though he denied making any threats of bodily harm as alleged by officers. did not describe the deli employees as instructing him to leave the premises, but he admitted refusing officers' orders to do so. PO Healy cited safety concerns stemming from verbal aggression and agitated demeanor, which had the potential to escalate.

Allegation B – Discourtesy: On August 3, 2020, at \$87(2)(0) in Queens,
Police Officer Shaun Healy spoke discourteously to \$87(2)(0)
Allegation C – Discourtesy: On August 3, 2020, at \$87(2)(0) in Queens,
Police Officer Robert Amendola spoke discourteously to \$87(2)(0)

Footage from PO Healy's BWC captures his discourteous statements to states PO Healy assaulted only. The durational timestamp will be referenced. At 1:05, 1870, 100 states PO Healy assaulted him, and he is going to "call the whole Precinct." PO Healy states they will come and "toss 1870, as again." PO Healy tells him several times to go. At 1:30, PO Healy re-enters the store briefly and PO Amendola remains outside near the door. PO Healy returns to the sidewalk and continues speak to 1870, as officers re-enter the store and 1870, just get the fuck out of here. Just leave." States he is going to follow the RMP, and PO Healy steps outside. At 2:32, 100 tells PO Healy to ask about 1870, at the Precinct. PO Healy responds, "I don't give a fuck who you are... Oh, now I fucking get it."

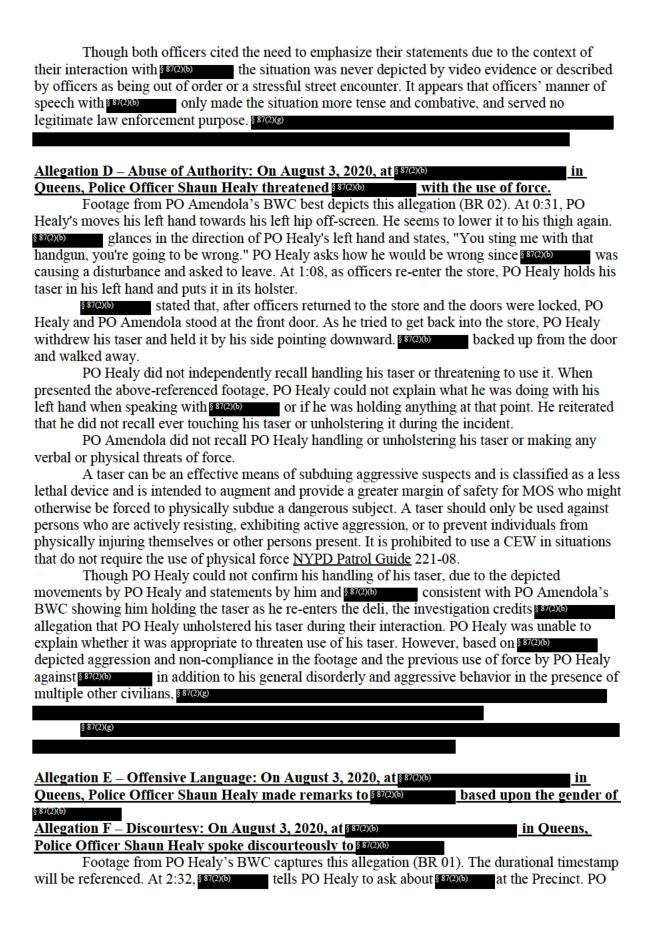
Footage from PO Amendola's BWC captures his discourteous statement to [87(2)6) (BR 02). The durational timestamp will be referenced. At 0:20, after PO Healy briefly re-enters the deli for the first time and PO Amendola begins to follow him, PO Amendola states, "Exactly, that's what I fucking thought," after [887(2)6) appears to photograph his name plate and shield on his uniform.

did not raise these allegations.

PO Healy did not independently recall using profanity. When presented the above-referenced video evidence, he explained his use of profanity as due to the heat of the moment and to emphasize the seriousness of the situation to [870] due to the escalated and tense situation.

PO Amendola did not independently recall using profanity. When presented the above-referenced video evidence, he explained his use of profanity as due to the heat of the moment and to emphasize that \$87(2)(6) received to go since the interaction was done.

Officers are committed to treating every citizen with compassion, courtesy, professionalism, and respect NYPD Patrol Guide 200-02 (BR 13). Discourteous language by an officer may also be justified when attempting to gain compliance with an order while attempting to maintain order during a stressful street encounter NYPD Disciplinary Case #79627/04 (BR 14).



Healy responds, "... Oh, that's who it is." At 2:41, as they continue to yell at each other, PO Healy calls \$87(2)(6) a "pussy," twice.

did not raise this allegation.

PO Healy did not independently recall calling a "pussy." When presented the above-referenced video evidence, PO Healy stated he did so due to the heat of the moment and to emphasize the seriousness and heightened tension of the situation since now that solution identified himself, PO Healy was aware of the potential danger in dealing with solution due to seriousness of his violent crime history including assaulting his girlfriend and police officers.

Officers are prohibited from making disrespectful remarks to an individual concerning their gender NYPD Patrol Guide 203-10 (BR 15). Officers are committed to treating every citizen with compassion, courtesy, professionalism, and respect NYPD Patrol Guide 200-02

§ 87(2)(g)

Allegation G – Discourtesy: On August 3, 2020, at Section 1997 in Queens, Police Officer Shaun Healy spoke discourteously to individuals.

Allegation H – Discourtesy: On August 3, 2020, at \$87(2)(6)

in Queens,

Police Officer Robert Amendola spoke discourteously to individuals.

Footage from PO Healy's BWC captures these allegations (BR 01). The durational timestamp will be referenced. At 3:35, after officers return inside and a deli employee locks the door, PO Healy tells the deli employee(s) that, "Nah, I don't like that shit. Don't fucking do that shit, you know what I'm saying? He's not tough, like, I've dealt with him for fucking nine years. He's not tough. He does this shit all the time. Yeah, he's a fucking-" PO Amendola states, "Yeah, he does this shit all the time."

did not raise allegation. When contact attempts were made to the deli to retrieve video evidence and/or witness testimony, the owner stated those workers on duty at the time were unavailable as they were not currently working at the deli, and he nor his employees were familiar with the incident. The owner took a callback number for anyone to contact the investigation if they wanted to provide testimony. To date, no employees from the deli have contacted the investigation.

PO Healy and PO Amendola did not independently recall using profanity with any deli employees. When presented the above-referenced footage, PO Healy could not confirm who he was speaking to but stated he was having a normal conversation after a stressful situation and PO Amendola stated he was in the heat of the moment and was explaining between history to the deli workers without meaning any discourtesy to them.

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Though both officers blamed their discourteous language on the previous situation and neither intended any disrespect, the investigation cannot reach a conclusive finding without the testimony of those deli workers to whom they spoke to assess their interpretation of that language.

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Allegation I – Abuse of Authority: On August 3, 2020, at the 101st Precinct stationhouse, Police Officer Maura Moore did not process stationhouse complaint regarding officers.

No video evidence captures this allegation. Stationhouse footage was requested before the accurate time of allegation was confirmed and only captures events at the 101st Precinct stationhouse after stationhouse after alleged visit there (BR 05-06) and does not depict PO Moore at any point. When the accurate time for this allegation was confirmed, it was past the 30-day retention period for stationhouse footage.

stated he went directly to the 101st Precinct stationhouse after his interaction with PO Healy and PO Amendola at the deli to file a complaint against both officers. He entered the vestibule and PO Moore sat on a chair there. § 87(2)(b) told him what happened at the deli and that he wanted to make a report. PO Moore told him to go back to the deli and call 911. He did not provide any other guidance on how to file a civilian complaint. Inside the vestibule for approximately one minute, \$87(2)(b) exited and walked back to the deli. \$87(2)(b) described the subject officer of this allegations an approximately 50-year-old, potentially bald, short heavyset black male in uniform. The 101st' Precinct's tour 3 roll call from the incident date details no other black male officers with stationhouse assignments (BR 20). The 101st Precinct's Interrupted Patrol Log on the incident date shows no officers on patrol returning to the stationhouse at the approximate incident time (BR 21). PO Moore stated he was working at the stationhouse at the time of this allegation, stationed alone at a podium in the vestibule by the entrance to the stationhouse (BR 16). PO Moore did not recall speaking to any civilians during his tour. PO Moore described two ways a civilian could file a complaint with him against a police officer at the stationhouse: he would let the desk officer know who would process the complaint or PO Moore would provide them with a phone number for the CCRB. PO Moore did not recall taking any such steps to assist a civilian on the incident date. PO Moore did not recall telling \$87(2)(b) to go back to the deli and call 911 to make a complaint. PO Moore did not refuse any complaints against police officers by \$87(2)(b) PO Moore described himself as a 48-year-old black male standing at 5'5" tall and weighing 220 pounds. He had a close buzzcut at the time of his CCRB interview. The 101st Precinct Command Log shows no visits to the stationhouse by \$87(2)(6) incident date (BR 19). PO Moore did not recall his interaction with § 87(2)(b) but denied refusing to take his complaint against PO Healy and PO Amendola. The investigation identified no other possible subject officers for this allegation based on police documentation. § 87(2)(g) Allegation J – Abuse of Authority: On August 4, 2020, at §87(2)(b) Queens, Sergeant Robert Nagle did not process \$87(2)(b) complaint regarding officers. Footage from Sgt. Nagle's BWC addresses this allegation (BR 03). The durational timestamp will be referenced. At 4:00, \$87(2)(b) states he knows how he is "going to get" PO Healy, and mentions some "investigation shit, police complaint, whatever that shit is - What's that shit called?" Sgt. Nagle tells him CCRB, and store states he will do that. Sgt. Nagle offers to provide him the CCRB's number at the stationhouse and \$87(2)(6) tells him he has the number at home, but he appreciates the offer. § 87(2)(b) never requests to file a complaint with Sgt. Nagle and Sgt. Nagle never expresses any refusal or obstacles for \$87(2)(6) to file that complaint. stated he returned to the deli and called 911 after his visit to the stationhouse. Sgt. Nagle arrived, and \$87(2)(b) explained the situation. Sgt. Nagle told \$87(2)(b) not make a report. He did not explain why. He did not explain any other ways for \$87(2)(6)

allegation that Sgt. Nagle refused to process his complaint against PO Healy

Sgt. Nagle provided testimony consistent to his BWC footage.

and PO Amendola was refuted by the video evidence and officer testimony. §87(2)(g)

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Squad Leader: <u>Edwin Pena</u>

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